

4 Garfield Place (Commercial Building)  
(Image Maker's Gallery, Booktrader Books)  
Cincinnati  
Hamilton County  
Ohio

HABS No. OH-2349

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HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA

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STATE OHIO	COUNTY HAMILTON	TOWN OR VICINITY CINCINNATI
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) 4 Garfield Place		HABS NO. OH-2349
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE The Watch Shop, Bernie's Burgers, Hocking Barber Shop, Image Maker's Gallery, Booktraier Books, Stage Door Lounge.		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) 4 Garfield Place, Cincinnati, Ohio 45219		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) 1879 (Hamilton County Courthouse)	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) Unknown.	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Italianate late-nineteenth-century commercial building contributing in size, scale, and date to the older commercial homogeneity of the area.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Vernacular Italianate.		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Stone foundation, brick bearing walls (common bond with stone trim), sheet metal roof.		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) Rectangular, approximately 20' (three-bay front) x 80' (12-bay flank), four stories, flat roof.		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Bracketed cornice, Garfield Place (front) entrance flanked by pilasters supporting open triangular pediment, most original store fronts intact, plain lintels and sills above.		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) None remained.		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES Not noted.		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Demolished 1980-1981.		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE This structure was recorded by the City Planning Commission, City of Cincinnati, in compliance with Executive Order 11593 and a Memorandum of Agreement with the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation.		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Hamilton County Courthouse		
COMPILER, AFFILIATION Lauren Blank, Cincinnati City Planning Commission Revised by Denys Peter Myers, Architectural Historian, HABS		DATE June 26, 1980 April 8, 1982